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PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for a three-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action of May 19, 2003. Enclosed is a check for \$950.00 to cover the cost of the extension.

Applicant is providing the extension fees to establish co-pendency with a continuation application filed on even date herewith, November 18, 2003.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-0019. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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